

Keep your thumbs on the wheel
and cash in your pocket.

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Texting while driving is against the law in Michigan. A ticket will cost \$100 the first time and \$200 for each subsequent offense.

IT'S THE **LAW.**



TEXTING WHILE DRIVING IS DANGEROUS BECAUSE IT INVOLVES THE THREE MAIN TYPES OF DISTRACTION:

- **Visual**—taking your eyes off the road
- **Manual**—taking your hands off the wheel
- **Cognitive**—taking your mind off what you're doing



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MICHIGAN'S TEXTING WHILE DRIVING LAW:

- Prohibits drivers from reading, manually typing, or sending a text message while driving.
- Defines driving as: operating a motor vehicle on a street or highway.
- Is a primary enforcement law, meaning an officer can make a traffic stop if he or she observes a texting driver.
- Includes exceptions for reporting crashes, crimes or other emergencies.
- Does not assess points to a person's driving record.